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## ERASMUS+ INTERNATIONAL CREDIT MOBILITY (ICM) NEUROSCIENCES - NOW OPEN!

The Erasmus+ ICM Call for mobilities during 2021-22 and 2022-2023 is now open.

### **Mobility type and available places**

Under this call for applications, the following places are available for prospective candidates from Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore.

All the mobility activities have to be completed by **July 31, 2023**.

Due to the Covid related restrictions, the learning activities may be carried out through mobility web based teaching or in a blended manner.

#### FOR TRAINING

- **2 medical students** (2 months) – Level : undergraduate students

#### FOR STUDIES/TRAINING

- **9 postgraduate students:** UCSC residents (PGY 3-5) and PhD-students in Neurosciences (for 6 months-periods)

### **Selection Criteria and applications assessment**

The selection of the applications will be made by the Joint Faculty Council.

The Joint Faculty Council is composed by:

- Prof. Raffaele Landolfi (Project Coordination, Responsible for International Partnerships in Education and Research)
- Prof. Alessandro Olivi (NN Director Area at UCSC)
- Prof. Robert Rosenwasser (NN Director area at TJU)
- Dr. Pier Paolo Mattogno (Project assistant at UCSC)
- Prof. Kevin Judy (Project assistant at TJU)

This project will pay particular attention for disadvantaged subjects. During selection, the Joint Faculty Council will take into specific consideration persons with disabilities as well as the socio-economics background of applicants.

Selection criteria - candidates will be evaluated on the basis of the following criteria:

**Undergraduate students:** preference will go to promising students in their final years or who wish to pursue a research in Neuroncology or Neurosurgery, reference letters, awards, language skills, motivation letter. For pre-med students, IFOM scores will be considered as an added value.

Language proficiency: English B2 level

#### **Postgraduate students:**

- Academic excellence - preference will go to candidates that wish to pursue a research in Neuroncology or Neurosurgery, reference letters, awards, language skills, motivation letter, research focus and experience.



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- Reference letters of the Department chairperson
- Language proficiency: English B2 level

Med Residents will be evaluated by the department Chairperson.

### Grant amount

The amount of the mobility grant, in accordance with Erasmus+ guidelines, is made up of a contribution for travel (1 round-trip ticket per beneficiary) and monthly scholarships for subsistence costs as follows:

Mobility type	Grant for Stay	Grant for travel
Student mobility for studies	Euro 700,00/month (30 days)	Euro 820,00 euro
Student mobility for training	Euro 700,00/month (30 days)	Euro 820,00 euro

*In case of virtual mobility from Italy, no funds will be granted.*

### How to apply

Applications must be done through the [Application form ICM NEUROSCIENCES](#) available for download on the [ERASMUS+ KA 107 – ICM \(International Credit Mobility\) webpage](#).

The Application deadline is **May 30 2022**

Applicants are required to send the application form along with the following documents by email to [ucsc.international-rm@unicatt.it](mailto:ucsc.international-rm@unicatt.it) with subject "ICM 2020\_NAME OF THE STUDENT"

- ✓ English language certificate, if any
- ✓ Curriculum Vitae
- ✓ Motivation Letter

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### Student Safety Package

All students participating in an official Cattolica International program must accept the "[Student Safety Package](#)" provisions by downloading the "Safety Check Students" app for the geolocation and instant messaging features to be used exclusively in the event of an emergency. The "Student Safety Package" also includes health insurance coverage for the entire duration of the program.

Please note that a Medical Malpractice/Professional Liability Insurance is not included in the Student Safety Package, therefore selected students will have to bear the additional cost.

### Contacts

For information about the application procedures, please refer to:

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